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Applicants: David Haramé et al.

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CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP, STATEMENT OF FACTS

Sir:

The invention in the form of two disclosures were submitted to the Intellectual Property Law Department of T. J. Watson Research Center listing some of the inventors.

During evaluation of the two disclosures two inventors were added to each disclosure, but the name of Dominique Nguyen Ngoc was not added at that time.

The non provisional application was prepared by the attorney, Robert M. Trepp, and filed without a declaration and assignment.

A few weeks later, discussions by the inventors of the filing of the patent application were over heard by Dominique Nguyen Ngoc. She recognized that perhaps she should be included as a co-inventor and through her discussion with David L. Harame, one of the co-inventors, it became apparent that she was a co-inventor, in that she made an inventive contribution at the conception of the invention at an early meeting with other inventors.

David L. Harame then discussed adding her name as a co-inventor with the co-inventors and with Robert M. Trepp, attorney of record.

Dominique Nguyen Ngoc reviewed the application as filed and agreed that she was an inventor and that her name should be added as a co-inventor.

The co-inventor Dominique Nguyen Ngoc was not named in the non provisional application through error in naming inventors without deceptive intention on the part of the other co-inventors.

We the original named inventors agree that Dominique Nguyen Ngoc's should be added as a co-inventor to the above named application.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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